

APPENDIX

Changes to Claims:

Claim 5 is canceled.

Claims 6-21 are added.

The following is a marked-up version of the amended claim:

1. (Amended) A pattern carrier in form of a paper web with a colour pattern printed thereon to be used in transfer pattern printing of a moist textile web by a compressing of the two webs between one or more pairs of rollers without the use of heat, but under such a linear pressure that the textile web is subjected over a short length to a compressing into a reduced thickness followed by a natural expansion, whereby the colour pattern is absorbed from the pattern carrier into the textile web, characterised in that the pattern carrier is made of paper with an air permeability ~~(Bendtsen-porosity)~~ of more than 500 ml/min, measured according to the standard DIN 53120 T1, and a water absorption corresponding to a Cobb-number, measured according to the standard SCAN-P12:64, Cobb₆₀, of at least 50, said paper being coated with an aqueous dispersion of carboxymethylcellulose containing a non-crystalline saccharide syrup, ~~preferably in an amount of approximately 30 g of dispersion per m²~~, whereafter one or more colour patterns are printed on said paper, each colour pattern comprising a water-soluble or dispersible dye admixed ~~with an easily soluble thickening carrier with a temporary binding effect, preferably in form of carboxymethylcellulose.~~